LIVINGSTONE PRIMARY SCHOOL 5113

RESPONSIBLE PET OWNERSHIP PROGRAM
Wednesday 12th May 2010
Prep

30th April 2010

Notice to Parents of Prep students,

On Wednesday 12th May, Prep students at Livingstone Primary School will have the opportunity to participate in a session that involves a speaker and their companion dog from the Responsible Pet Ownership Program. The children will be educated on issues related to animals such as recognising the warning signs given by dogs, learning to read signs related to dog behaviour and understanding dog language. The program has been developed and is sponsored by the Department of Primary Industries and is free to all primary school aged children.

In particular, some aspects covered will include:

- How to approach a dog safely
- What to do if approached by an aggressive dog.
- Recognising the characteristics of an aggressive or frightened dog.

To assist us to accommodate for individual student needs, please let your child's teacher know if he or she has pet hair allergies or has had bad experiences associated with dogs.

Please return the permission slip to the class teacher by Friday 7th May 2010.

Thank you,

Prep Team

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CHILD'S NAME: _____ CLASS: _____

I give permission for my child to participate in the Responsible Pet Ownership Program on Wednesday 12th May 2010.

I authorise the teacher in charge of the incursion to consent, where it is impracticable to communicate with me, to my child receiving such medical or surgical treatment as may be deemed necessary.

SIGNED: _____ DATE: _____
(Parent/Guardian)